

Amendments to the Specification:

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The system 100/150 also allows security to be provided using the database 110. One or more of the tables 112, 114, or 116 can include users and their attributes. Based upon the table and other criteria, for example the location of the user in the table, access can be granted to different portions of the system 100/150. For example, a particular enterprise might be organized hierarchically. This hierarchy can be reflected in the organization of the tables 112, 114, and 116. A user can be given access to portions of the system 100/150 that are lower in the hierarchy based upon the position of the user in the table 112, 114, or 116 and the position in the remaining tables 112, 114, or 116.